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native tongue, Belem, the capital of the State of the same name. There are also many cases of beriberi in this city.

Mortuary statistics from State of Sao Paulo.

Sao Paulo (capital).—Week ended January 15, 1905. During the week there were in all 110 deaths. The deaths were caused as follows: Variola, 1; measles, 4; enteric fever, 1; dysentery, 2; erysipelas, 1; malarial fever, 2; tuberculosis, 6; septicæmia, 1; syphilis, 2; cancer, 1; diseases of the nervous system, 5; of the circulatory system, 7; of the respiratory system, 15; of the digestive system, 37; of the urinary system, 3; accidents during the puerperal state, 1; congenital debility, 4; violence, except suicide, 3; diseases ill defined, 14.

Natives, 89; foreigners, 21; up to 2 years of age, 66; 2 to 5 years, 9; 5 to 10 years, 2; 10 to 20 years, none; 20 to 50 years, 19; more than 50 years of age, 15.

Population, estimated, 286,000.

Santos.—Week ended January 15, 1905: Total deaths, 13; stillbirths, 1; causes of death: Variola, 2; malarial fevers, 2; tuberculosis, 1; anchylostomiasis, 1; disease of nervous system, 1; of the circulatory system, 2; of the digestive system, 2; violence, except suicide, 1; and disease ill defined, 1. Natives, 8; foreigners, 5.

Campinas.—Week ended January 15, 1905: Total deaths, 18; stillbirths, 3; causes of death: Tuberculosis, 1; cancer, 1; disease of nervous system, 1; of the respiratory system, 4; of the digestive system, 6; and diseases ill defined, 5. Natives, 15; foreigners, 5.

Sao Paulo (capital).—Week ended January 29, 1905: Total deaths, 112, as follows: Plague, bubonic, 1; measles, 3; enteric fever, 2; dysentery, 2; malarial fevers, 2; tuberculosis, 7; syphilis, 1; cancer, 1; diseases of nervous system, 9; of the circulatory system, 9; of the respiratory system, 9; of the digestive system, 30; of the urinary system, 4; accidents during puerperal state, 1; diseases of the skin, 1; congenital debility, 7; violence, except suicide, 2; stillbirths, 16; and diseases ill defined, 7. Natives, 94; foreigners, 19, and less than 2 years of age, 60.

Suspected bubonic plague at Bahia, Brazil.

A dispatch of date of the 6th instant states that 3 cases of sickness suspected of being bubonic plague were discovered on board of a vessel entering the port of Bahia on that date.

Sanitary statistics of Petropolis during 1904.

According to the registrations, there were in Petropolis during the year 1904, 478 deaths and 49 stillbirths. The estimated population is from 15,000 to 18,000 persons, although placed as high by some persons as 30,000. The death rate as calculated is given at 15.9 per 1,000 of the population, while the birth rate is 33.7—a very great difference. The deaths from tuberculosis were 10 per cent of the total number of deaths, while no other causes of deaths are given in the report at hand.